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SUBJ: GRUNK PRESS CONFERENCE

1. GRUNK AMBASSADOR TO ALGERIA HELD PRESS CONFERENCE
21 MARCH AT GRUNK EMBASSY HERE AS ADVANCE CELEBRATION
FUNK AND FAPLNK 5TH ANNIVERSARY 23 MARCH. CONFERENCE
ANNOUNCED BY DIPLOMATIC CIRCULAR NOTE TO SOME EMBASSIES
(NOT U) AND ATTENDED BY COMMUNIST AND LIBERATION
MOVEMENT PRESS AND ATTACHES. ONLY WESTERN PRESS PRESENT
WERE TWO FREE-LANCERS ALERTED BY US. PRINTED TEXT OF
HIS PREPARED REMARKS AND OF PRESS COMMUNIQUE ISSUED
AFTER 2ND NATIONAL CONGRESS DISTRIBUTED.

2. REMARKS COVER NINE SINGLE-SPACED PAGES BUT APPEAR
CONTAIN NOTHING NEW. FOUR PARTS ARE:

(A)"FIVE YEARS OF IMPERIALIST AGGRESSION AND FIVE YEARS
OF FUNK AND FAPLNK VICTORIES"" MILITARY REPORT ON PAST
FIVE YEARS INCLUDING LIST OF EQUIPMENT CAPTURED THIS YEAR;

(B) "CONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT OF CAMBODIA IN
LIBERATED ZONE": GENERALIZATIONS, MUCH OF WHICH OMITTED
IN AMBASSADOR'S DELIVERY:

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(C) "AMERICAN ACTIONS IN CARRYING OUT OF ITS INTERVENTION
IN CAMBODIA": LIST OF US ASSISTANCE AND "THREATS";

(D) "TRUE PEACE IN CAMBODIA CAN BE REESTABLISHED ONLY WITH
THE END OF ALL AMERICAN INTERVENTION"; DENOUNCEMENT OF
SEVEN "TRAITORS," REAFFIRMATION OF FUNK WELCOME FOR ALL
OTHERS, AND CALL ON AMERICAN PROGRESSIVES (INVOKING
KENT STATE AND JACKSON) TO OPPOSE US INTERVENTION.

3. WE CAN SEND TEXTS IF DESIRED. PARKER

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